

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE ROSEVILLE PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION FOR OCTOBER 8, 1973

Held at City Hall Council Chamber.

Chairman Alexander started meeting at 8:24 PM.

Commissioners present included:

Ransom, Goto, Uribe, Fratis Jr., Alexander, Douglas, Anderson, and Englen.

No Commissioners absent.

Reference was made to the three maps displayed on the wall. They all included the Dry Creek area from Royer Park to East Street. One map was 200' scale topo showing a proposed bike path; second map was 100' scale aerial map with a proposed bike path; and third was 50' topo flown and prepared by Spink Corporation 9-27-73, with additional property lines, proposed acquisition and bike paths indicated by Public Works as result of council's tour.

The Commission asked Mahany to explain on what the council decided on and why in regards to the bike path area adjacent Greenbelt acquisitions along Dry Creek during their tour.

Mahany explained council's thinking as he referred to the 50' scale and 100' aerial maps.

Mahaney explained how council determined the Greenbelt and bike path take lines for the Cirby-Linda Creek Project. It was mentioned they allowed various widths due to the different terrain and preservation of certain natural resources along the creek.

Council's recent review of bike and Greenbelt considerations at Meadow Oaks 3 and 4 was also discussed, plus how other creek related properties have been acquired throughout the city over the years.

Zisk said in answer to a question that the proposed bike trail planned through his property "will affect all my property". The question was asked about routing the bike trail through her property along the area where the sewer line easement is located. He also stated that contrary to rumors, he didn't move the channel, but took out sand bars and vegetation obstacles.

Zisk further indicated that the Planning Commission gave him permission to build a house where he is planning in 1967, upon condition that he first clear the channel, and apply for a lot split.

He said he has been working on this channel for 7 years in improving this property - not a bike trail.

The Commission discussed the feasibility of putting the bike path route on the south side of Dry Creek. There were numerous obstacles.

A thought was expressed on putting a bridge across at Zisks' and Atlantic School property line, and then coming along the south side for the bike path to McIntyre's property.

Mahany explained how the proposed trail on the maps went under bridges and along slopes. He explained all of the known alternate routes around and through Zisk's property.

Duran answered a question on Council's thoughts during their tour. He said council thought it impractical to go on the southern side. He said Council also expressed concern for scenic area.

Zisk said he disagrees with property lines noted on the Spink map.

M/S Ransom-Urbe "That the P & R Commission recommend to Council that the City acquire property area along Dry Creek from East Street to Royer Park as shown on the 50 - scale map as displayed here tonite with exact take lines to be determined by appropriate engineering recommendations but to be at least 50 feet for bike trails and walk ways and to also consider appropriate scenic easements as necessary".

N/S Frates Jr - Anderson to adjourn the meeting at 9:05 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ed Mahany